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Time: **2:30** p.m.

Date Prepared: October 9, 2002

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MEETING AGENDA

CONSENT*

COMMUNICATIONS ITEM(S):

- 1. <u>CHOICE TELCO, LLC, DOCKET NO. 2002-476</u>, Petition for Finding of Public Convenience & Necessity to Provide Service as a Switchless Reseller Interexchange Telephone Utility, Order Granting Authority to Provide Interexchange Service and Approving Schedule of Rates and Terms and Conditions (Shifman)
- 2. <u>HORIZON TELECOM, INC., DOCKET NO. 2002-480</u>, Petition for Finding of Public Convenience & Necessity to Provide Service as a Switchless Reseller Interexchange Telephone Utility, Order Granting Authority to Provide Interexchange Service and Approving Schedule of Rates and Terms and Conditions (Shifman)
- 3. <u>NECC TELECOM, INC., DOCKET NO. 2002-504</u>, Petition for Finding of Public Convenience & Necessity to Provide Service as a Switchless Reseller Interexchange Telephone Utility, Order Granting Authority to Provide Interexchange Service and Approving Schedules of Rates and Terms and Conditions (Shifman)
- 4. <u>LEGACY LONG DISTANCE INTERNATIONAL</u>, <u>DOCKET NO. 2002-512</u>, Petition for Finding of Public Convenience & Necessity to Provide Service as a Switchless Reseller Telephone Utility, Order Granting Authority to Provide Interexchange Service and Approving Schedule of Rates and Terms and Conditions (Shifman)
- 5. <u>VERIZON NEW ENGLAND INC. D/B/A VERIZON MAINE, DOCKET NO. 2002-543</u>, Request for Approval of Interconnection Agreement with KMC Telecom V, Inc., Order Approving Agreement (Sukaskas)
- 6. <u>INTER-TEL NETSOLUTIONS, INC., DOCKET NO. 2002-544</u>, Petition for Finding of Public Convenience & Necessity to Provide Service as a Switchless Reseller Interexchange Telephone Utility, Order Granting Authority to Provide Interexchange Service and Approving Schedule of Rates and Terms and Conditions (Shifman)
- 7. <u>VERIZON NEW ENGLAND INC. D/B/A VERIZON MAINE, DOCKET NO. 2002-545</u>, Request for Approval of Amendment to Interconnection Agreement with Global NAPS, Inc., Order Approving Amendment No. 1 to Interconnection Agreement (Sukaskas)
- 8. <u>GLOBAL CROSSING LTD.</u>, <u>DOCKET NO. 2002-581</u>, Request for Approval of Transfer of Assets to Encumber the Assets of GCL's Maine Operating Subsidiaries from GCL to New GX, Order Approving Encumbrance of Assets (Kania)

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ELECTRIC ITEM(S):

9. <u>CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY, DOCKET NO. 2002-513</u>, Request for Approval of Proposed Tariff Revision to Area and Street Lighting Services (Rates AL and SL), Order Approving Rate Schedules (Howe)

REGULAR

CAD ITEM(S):

10. <u>DOCKET NO. 2002-484</u>, Appeal of Consumer Assistance Division Decision #2002-12538 Regarding Portland Water District, Consideration of Order on Appeal (Ballou)

ELECTRIC ITEM(S):

- 11. MAINE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION, DOCKET NO. 2002-161, Interim Electric Conservation Programs, Consideration of Order Expanding Northern Maine BOC Program (McLaughlin)
- 12. <u>CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY, DOCKET NO. 2002-398</u>, Request for Advisory Ruling Regarding Application of Net Energy Billing Credits, Consideration of Advisory Ruling (Tannenbaum)

GAS ITEM(S):

13. <u>FERC DOCKET NO. RP02-13</u>, Portland Natural Gas Transmission System, Consideration of Maine Public Utilities Commission Position on Proposed Coalition Settlement (Austin/MacLennan)

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